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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF THE TERM

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

December 3, 2003

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner for reply to the final Office Action dated June 3, 2003, for three months from September 3, 2003 to December 3, 2003. Accordingly, this petition is timely filed on December 3, 2003.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$475 to cover the cost of the extension.

Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account Number 04-2219, referencing our Docket Number 11894.

Respectfully submitted,

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